

REMARKS

Claims 129-200 are pending with claims 129-136 being independent. Claims 129-136 have been amended to clarify that the light emitting region is formed between the hole transporting region and the electron transporting region and includes a mixed layer of the hole transporting material and the electron transporting material. No new matter has been introduced.

Claims 129-200 stand rejected as being unpatentable over Aziz (U.S. Patent No. 6,765,348). Applicant requests reconsideration and withdrawal of this rejection because Aziz does not describe or suggest a light emitting region comprising a mixed layer of a hole transporting material and an electron transporting material that is formed between a hole transporting region and an electron transporting region, as recited in each of the independent claims. Although Aziz, at col. 12, lines 36-43, discloses that the light emitting region may include a hole transporting region adjacent to the first electrode and an electron transporting region adjacent to the second electrode, Aziz does not describe or suggest a light emitting region that includes a mixed layer of the hole transporting material and the electron transporting material. Accordingly, for at least this reason, the rejection should be withdrawn.

Applicant submits that all claims are in condition for allowance.

The fees in the amount of \$630 (\$450 for the one-month extension of time and \$180 for the information disclosure statement) are being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic

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